

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-07

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 ISO-00 AID-05 CEA-01 CIAE-00 COME-00

FRB-03 INR-07 NSAE-00 CIEP-01 SP-02 STR-04 TRSE-00

LAB-04 SIL-01 SAM-01 OMB-01 AGR-05 L-03 IO-13 ITC-01

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R 231416Z JUL 76

FM AMEMBASSY PARIS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3245

INFO ALL EC CAPITALS 0132

USMISSION EC BRUSSELS

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DEPARTMENT PASS AGRICULTURE

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAGR ETRD EEC

SUBJECT: EC/GSP TOBACCO

REF: STATE 168133

1. ACCORDING TO COLLIN, DIRECTOR OF MULTILATERAL  
AFFAIRS, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE, EC COMMISSION  
PROPOSAL FOR DUTY REDUCTIONS ON TOBACCO WAS RESULT OF  
DIFFICULT BALANCING OF CONFLICTING MEMBER STATE  
INTERESTS. HE DOUBTED THAT ANY MEMBER STATE WOULD WANT  
TO REOPEN THE QUESTION. THE GOF WILL NOT.  
GAMMON

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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 JAN 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** TOBACCO, PREFERENTIAL TARIFFS, TARIFF LIBERALIZATION  
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**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Authority:** ShawDG  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 28 MAY 2004  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
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